



Producers: Please be aware of the choices you make. As you can see below, you may be in compliance with label rates or even with tolerances set by the United States, but our customers may reject the grain if they have more rigid standards.

Certainly be legal, but also be aware.

Maximum Residue Levels of selected chemicals, as monitored by our top grain buyers*

(U.S. Section 18 tolerances are not included.) Numeric values are listed in parts per million. Items in **red** are more restrictive than the U.S. Maximum Residue (MRLs refer to post harvest use.)

CHEMICAL	Japan	Taiwan	Korea	Mexico	U.S.
Glyphosate on wheat	5.0	5.0	5.0	30.0	30.0
Glyphosate on barley	20.0		20.0	30.0	30.0
2, 4D (for both wheat & barley)	0.5		0.5	2.0	2.0
Dicamba on wheat	0.5		0.5	2.0	2.0
Dicamba on barley	0.5		0.5	6.0	6.0
Spinosad (only wheat)	0.02		1.0	1.5	1.5
Paraquat dichloride (only on wheat)	0.05			1.1	1.1
Malathion on wheat	8.0	0.5	8.0	8.0	8.0
Malathion on barley	2.0		2.0	8.0	8.0

Listing for Malathion on the International CODEX was recently lowered. The U.S. has currently applied to raise it to 8ppm. Japan has yet to determine if it will drop their MRL on Malathion.

***Above information taken from www.mrldatabase.com/results.cfm - part of Foreign Agricultural Service USDA website

